

February 9, 2007

### VIA ECFS

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW Washington, DC 20554

Re: WC Docket No. 06-172: Verizon's Petitions for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. §160(c) in the Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Providence, and Virginia Beach Metropolitan Statistical Areas; RM-11358: Petitions for Rulemaking and Clarification Regarding the Commission's Rules Applicable to Retirement of Copper Loops and Copper Subloops

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On February 8, 2007, Charlie Hoffman, Jim Kirkland, Chris McKee and I, all of Covad Communications, met with John Hunter, Chief of Staff and Senior Legal Advisor for Wireline Issues to Commissioner McDowell, to discuss Covad's business generally and the above-referenced proceedings in a manner consistent with advocacy already included in the records of those proceedings. A copy of materials discussed in the meeting is attached.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206(b), an electronic copy of this notice is being filed in each of the above-referenced proceedings.

Respectfully submitted,

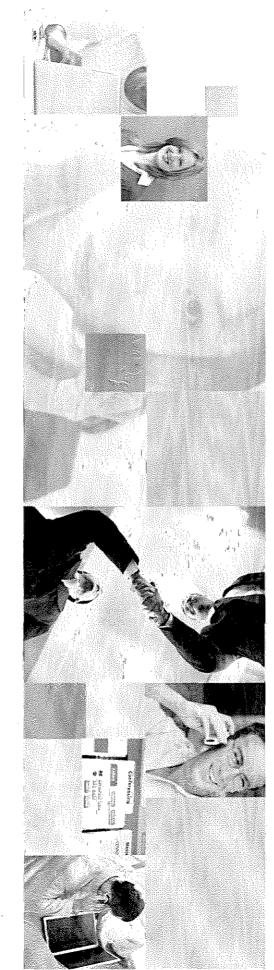
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# TRANSFORMING COMMUNICATIONS THROUGH BROADBAND INNOVATION



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## **Covad Communications Group Inc.**Covad at a Glance

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Covad is a national, facilities-based provider of voice and broadband services

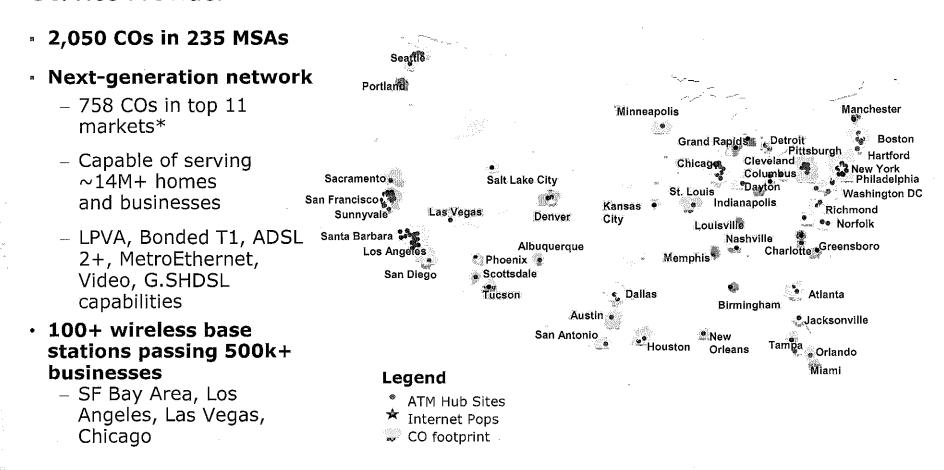
- Founded in 1996, recently celebrated 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary, ~1,000 employees
- As a leading next-generation communications service provider, we are transforming communications through broadband innovation
  - Largest national ADSL2+ network (allowing residential broadband speeds of up to 25 Mbps) with capabilities to deliver next generation broadband and voice services to over 14 million homes and businesses
  - Market leader with our direct Hosted VoIP (fully outsourced and managed) services to the Small to Mid-sized Business market
  - Leading fixed wireless broadband provider (speeds from 1-100 Mbps) for businesses, uniquely positioned to capitalize on the emergence of WiMAX
  - Wholesale partnerships enable innovative and competitive broadband and voice services to residential market – our customers include EarthLink, AT&T, and Verizon Business
- Making an excellent customer experience our #1 priority
  - 532,000 Access Lines
  - 2,500 VoIP Sites (47,000 users).
  - 3,100 Wireless Customers



### Covad Communications Group Inc.

Unique Market Position

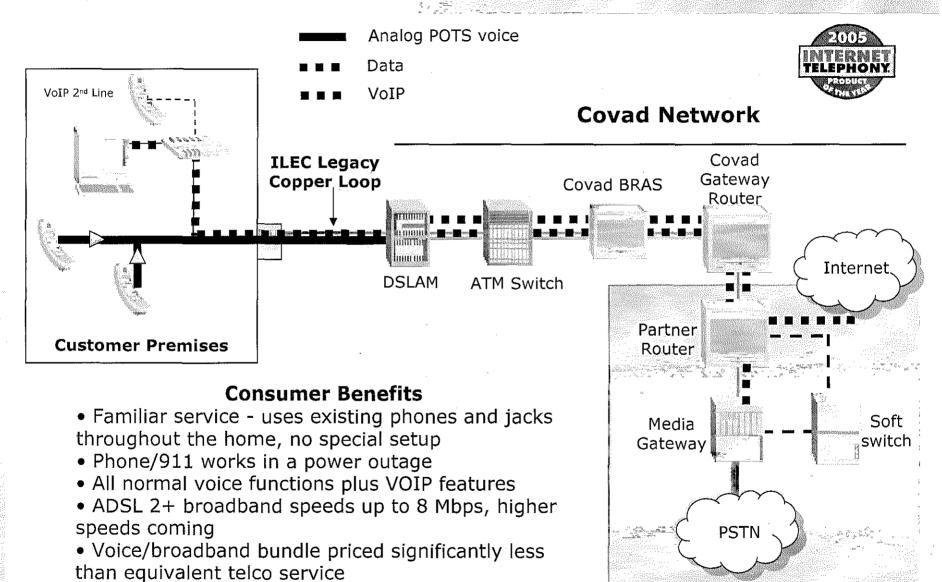
Largest National, Facilities-based, Next-Generation Communications Service Provider



<sup>\*</sup> Next generation markets include: Atlanta, Chicago, Dallas, Los Angeles, Miami, New York City, Philadelphia, San Diego, San Francisco/San Jose, Seattle, Washington, DC



### Covad Uses Legacy Copper to Provide Innovative New Services – Voice/VOIP/ADSL 2+ Bundle



Next generation network also supports video

Available now to 14 million homes and

businesses

**Partner Network Elements**